

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: **Volker SCHEUCH et al.**

Appln. No.: **10/559,796**

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For: **DEVICE AND METHOD FOR RAISING THE BONNET OF A MOTOR VEHICLE  
DURING A COLLISION WITH A PEDESTRIAN**

Attorney Docket No.: **3827-145**

Customer Number: **30448**

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.